

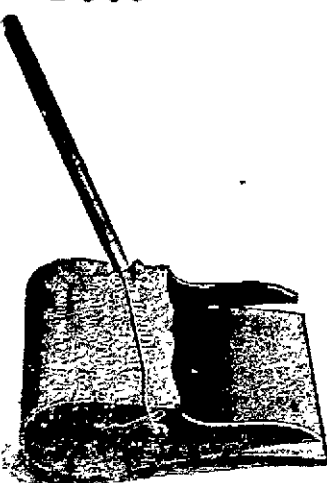
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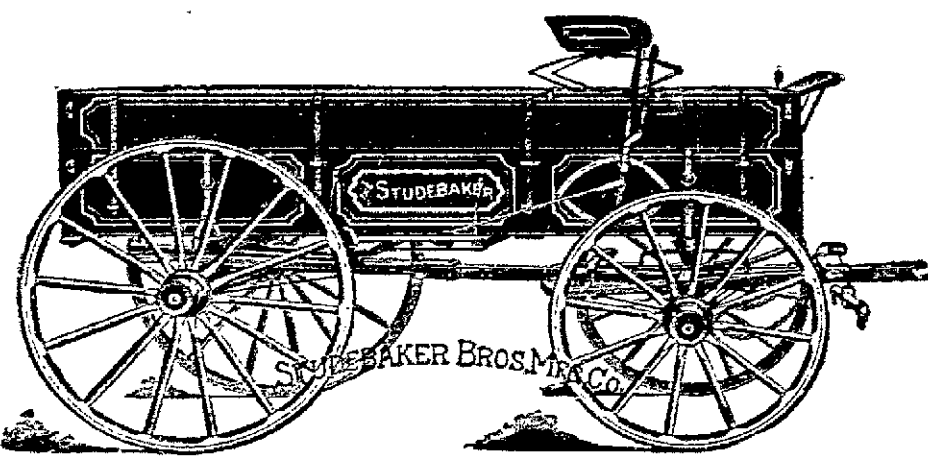
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## FOR A MONSTER STRIKE.

Preparing for an Interstate Demand from Miners.

TO RESTRICT THE PRODUCTION.

A Leader of the Workingmen Declares That This Is Necessary in Order to Prevent Starvation Wages for the Men Who Do the Work.

PITTSBURGH, May 27.—With the collapse of the Pittsburgh miners' strike and the apparent end of the strike in Ohio and West Virginia comes the question, what are the miners going to do about it? An answer was given to a newspaper representative by Cameron Miller, a national organizer of the United Mine Workers, who said:

"Until the evil naturally corrects itself there is only one thing to be done with regard to the surplus of men in the mines, and that is to restrict production by annual suspensions, allowing work at the mines to proceed only during certain periods of the year. As matters stand now the coal that is mined comes out at a price that gives the digger only a starvation wage."

"It would take years for the evil of surplus labor on the mining market to correct itself. The miners have come to that point where no other way is open but to say to the operator that if he will not cease cutting the throats of thousands of miners in order to gain a small advantage over his competitor then his men must be allowed to mine only a certain amount of coal for him."

"What is the purpose of the national convention of miners that has been called to meet at Columbus May 29?" was asked. "That convention has been called," said Mr. Miller, "to consider the advisability of a strike by all miners in western Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana and Illinois, where the coal fields form the great competitive field of the United States. Such a suspension would involve about 75,000 men. Personally I am not in favor of the suspension at this time. It is not practicable, and nothing can be gained by it."

"Their policy at present is to prepare for a national strike next spring, which should be begun not sooner than May 1, 1896. At that time business will no doubt have recovered and the miners will be able to justly ask for better wages, if for no other reason than that of the return of better times."

"Already the officials of the district have begun the work of reorganization of the Pittsburgh miners in anticipation of a fight next year. Should there be a national strike next May, as appears extremely probable, the entire anthracite region east of the Allegheny mountains will be tied up along with the rest of the country. One of the several causes that forced the miners to compromise their

national strike last year was the failure of the anthracite men to join the movement, and much anthracite coal was used in place of bituminous fuel. It seems safe to predict that no interstate suspension will be declared by the coming convention at Columbus."

Oscar Wilde Gets Two Years.

LONDON, May 27.—Oscar Wilde was found guilty on the charges of committing immoral offenses, and with Taylor, his accomplice, was sentenced to two years' imprisonment at hard labor. While the jury was out Wilde issued a statement denying the charges. Travers Humphreys, of counsel for Wilde, said: "Now that they have hit their mark, I am certain his health will break down and possibly that the authorities will favorably entertain the idea of a pardon." The prisoners attended the prison chapel at Pentonville yesterday. Their hair was cropped, and they were in the prison garb. They will be allowed to see their friends only four times in the year, on condition of their good conduct.

Death of a Noted Turfman.

KERNVILLE, Tex., May 27.—John A. Morris, the celebrated turfman, of New York, died at his ranch, eighteen miles from here, last evening. Mr. Morris arrived here on Thursday in a special car. On Friday, at noon, Mr. Morris was suddenly seized with a fit of apoplexy, and never recovered consciousness, though physicians from San Antonio were summoned. His wife and friends in New York were telegraphed, and are now en route on a special train.

Big Fire in a Pennsylvania Village.

SCRANTON, Pa., May 27.—A large portion of the business center of Dalton, ten miles north of this town, was destroyed by fire early yesterday morning. The bucket brigade was insufficient to stop the headway of the flames, which started in the store of F. L. Van Fleet, and burned for six hours. There is no fire company in the place. Mr. James Boardman fell through two floors of a building and received serious injuries. The estimated loss is \$50,000.

Drank Chloroform for Whisky.

BRISTOL, Tenn., May 27.—Three young men in Lee county, Va., J. Benton, Edward Golligher and Samuel Jones, went behind a counter in a store where moonshine liquor was usually kept secreted for their benefit and others. They made a mistake and drank from a bottle containing chloroform. As a result only one, Golligher, lives to tell the tale.

Belgium's New Cabinet.

BRUSSELS, May 27.—It is officially announced that in the reorganization of the cabinet, consequent upon the retirement of Count De Merode-Wasteloo, J. De Burlet will be made premier and minister of foreign affairs; M. Schollaert, minister of the interior and of public instruction, and M. Nyssens will be given a new post, that of minister of labor.

## BASEBALL RECORDS.

Standing of the Clubs in the Race for Championship Pennants.

CLUBS.	W.	L.	P.C.	CLUBS.	W.	L.	P.C.
Pittsburgh	20	8	.714	Boston	12	13	.483
Cincinnati	20	10	.666	Baltimore	11	11	.500
Chicago	19	11	.633	St. Louis	11	19	.366
Cleveland	17	12	.586	Brooklyn	10	16	.385
Philadelphia	13	12	.520	Washington	9	17	.346
New York	13	12	.520	Louisville	5	20	.200

SATURDAY'S NATIONAL LEAGUE GAMES.

At Cleveland—New York, 11; Cleveland, 8. At Louisville—Brooklyn, 9; Louisville, 7. At Chicago—Chicago, 7; Baltimore, 3. At St. Louis—Washington, 5; St. Louis, 1. At Pittsburgh—Pittsburgh, 1; Boston, 0. At Cincinnati—Cincinnati, 8; Philadelphia, 4.

YESTERDAY'S NATIONAL LEAGUE GAMES.

At Cincinnati—Cincinnati, 7; Cleveland, 4. At St. Louis—St. Louis, 23; Washington, 7. At Louisville—Brooklyn, 11; Louisville, 0. At Chicago—Baltimore, 12; Chicago, 11.

Eastern League.

CLUBS.	W.	L.	P.C.	CLUBS.	W.	L.	P.C.
Springfield	15	8	.652	Providence	11	9	.556
Wilmington	13	8	.619	Scranton	10	11	.476
Syracuse	12	8	.600	Toronto	8	13	.381
Buffalo	13	11	.542	Rochester	6	17	.260

SATURDAY'S EASTERN LEAGUE GAMES.

At Rochester—Wilmington, 7; Rochester, 5. At Syracuse—Syracuse, 13; Scranton, 3. At Toronto—Providence, 9; Toronto, 3.

YESTERDAY'S EASTERN LEAGUE GAMES.

At Rochester—Wilmington, 7; Rochester, 4. At Buffalo (10 innings)—Springfield, 1; Buffalo, 0.

Pennsylvania State League.

CLUBS.	W.	L.	P.C.	CLUBS.	W.	L.	P.C.
Reading	14	7	.667	Reading	10	9	.523
Allentown	12	8	.600	Harrisburg	9	11	.455
Pottsville	12	7	.632	Lancaster	7	13	.357
Carbondale	12	10	.545	Scranton	1	14	.069

SATURDAY'S PENNSYLVANIA LEAGUE GAMES.

At Lancaster—Harrisburg, 7; Lancaster, 2. At Allentown—Carbondale, 9; Allentown, 3.

Accidentally Killed His Two Sisters.

NASHVILLE, May 27.—News has reached this city of a frightful tragedy which occurred near Chestnut Mount, Smith county, as a result of which two young daughters of Sam McKinney are dead, while his baby is slightly wounded. Mr. McKinney had been out on his farm with a Winchester rifle and approaching the house handed the gun to his 20-year-old son Henry. Henry decided to unload the gun, and thinking he had emptied all the lead he left the hammer fall through the door the bullet sped and through the bodies of his two sisters. The elder was 5 years old. Both were instantly killed, while a 9-months-old infant was slightly wounded.

Production of Margarine in Belgium.

WASHINGTON, May 27.—George Roosevelt, United States consul at Brussels, has transmitted to the state department a report on butter, margarine and other artificial butters in Belgium, which shows that the consumption of margarine in that country is about 33,000,000 pounds, of which about 60,000 pounds is produced in Belgium. Most of the margarine used is imported from Holland. The consumption is constantly increasing, and it is sold in the markets under its proper name.

Roasted While Asleep.

SHENANDOAH, Pa., May 27.—A miner, John Pochutsky, was burned to death in bed here, and the coroner is trying to find out whether it was an accident, a murder or a suicide. He lay down with a lighted cigarette in his mouth, but his clothing had been saturated with kerosene. It is not known whether he was set on fire by an enemy while he was asleep, or whether he poured oil over himself.

The Striking Woodstock Weavers.

NORRISTOWN, Pa., May 27.—The striking weavers of the Woodstock mills have been seeking to effect a compromise with their employers all last week, but so far their efforts have been unsuccessful. The company offered the strikers an increase of 10 percent on all goods except chinchilla. On this there was an increase about a month before the strike began. The weavers, who at first wanted 20 percent, were willing to compromise on an increase of 10 percent on all grades of goods. The weavers are determined to hold out.

The Strike Situation at Providence.

PROVIDENCE, May 27.—There is little or no change in the industrial situation here. The strikers will hold a meeting this afternoon to discuss the proposition of Hon. E. L. Gannon to submit the questions at issue to arbitration. Mr. Gannon, who is an ex-district master workman of the Knights of Labor, thinks that if the operators at the Providence and National mills should effect a settlement the operators in the other mills would return to work. The Manufacturer's club, however, stands in the way of any such settlement.

A Fortune for Charity.

BALTIMORE, May 27.—The will of Miss Martha B. Gray, which has been admitted to probate in the orphans' court, disposes of a large portion of her estate to charity. The amount given is about \$100,000. Miss Gray died on the eighty-fifth anniversary of her birth. The value of the estate is nearly \$500,000.

A Trolley Victim in Rending.

READING, May 27.—Charles Haas, a 5-year-old boy son of William Haas, was instantly killed by a trolley car near Third and Penn streets at 2 o'clock in the afternoon. The little fellow was playing horse with some other boys and ran upon the track without seeing the approaching car.

Fatally Shot by His Brother.

BALTIMORE, May 27.—John T. Rieman, probably fatally shot his brother, Frederick C. Rieman, last night. The cause of shooting was that Frederick awakened John at what the latter regarded an entirely uncalled for hour.

The Jail Unit for Human Occupation.

CHICAGO, May 27.—Judge Tukey in the superior court ordered a man who was sentenced to the Chicago jail released on the ground that it was unhealthy, overcrowded and generally unfit for occupation.

## ARMING FOR REVENGE.

Another Outbreak of Armenians Expected Next Month.

THE OPPRESSED PEOPLE STARVING.

The Reports of the Terrible Atrocities by Turks and Kurds Further Confirmed by a British Official and an American Missionary.

LONDON, May 27.—The special correspondent of the Associated Press in Armenia writes as follows from Kars, Russia, under date of April 20:

During the past three weeks I have had unusual opportunity for obtaining additional confirmation of the facts contained in my announcement of the impending uprising of the Armenians in Turkey next month. I have traveled many miles up and down and across the border in search of certain facts, and as a result I have had the satisfaction of actually seeing and handling some of the rifles now being smuggled across the Turkish frontier by the revolutionary party. Moreover, the plans of the party have been more fully explained to me by some of the most active and intelligent of the leaders of the eastern wing of the movement, and I am now entirely satisfied that unless unforeseen and uncontrollable circumstances arise, the uprising will take place.

The exact date for the uprising has not yet been fixed, for the most part to the fact that the extreme eastern section of the revolutionary party is not ready for active operations. Whether or not the central section will wait for the eastern wing longer than the month of May I do not know, nor has the matter actually been decided. I am led to believe that the eastern wing cannot be ready for hostilities in May, and possibly not before July 1. The eastern wing has been and is having a hard time of it, owing to two circumstances over which the leaders have no control.

The mountain passes leading to Van have been blocked with snow for months, so that it was impossible to forward guns and ammunition from Russia and Persia. Besides, the Armenians in the eastern end of Turkey are in a condition bordering on starvation. It is obvious that people in this condition cannot fight. On this point, a leading executive officer of the revolutionary party said to me three days ago:

"If men have nothing in their stomachs what can they do? We must first feed them before we can expect them to fight. When we can get food enough on hand to last them two or three months then we shall show the world how Armenians can fight." It is this question of food that the revolutionary leaders will find most difficult of solution. It is a fact that in the eastern part of Armenia food is so scarce that well-to-do and rich people have no more than they actually need. As for the poor Armenians, their condition is distressing in the extreme, and added to the robberies, outrages and massacres which Turks and Kurds have brought upon them, they are now harassed by a famine so terrible that many of them are actually dying of starvation.

Few crops were grown last summer, owing to the fact that many of the farmers and cultivators were thrown into prison by the Turks under charges of revolutionary conspiracy. Then the cattle were stolen by the Kurds, and what the poor people had left in the way of provisions or property was seized by the government officials for taxes. Even the equine and household utensils were taken by the tax gatherers, so that the people were left destitute.

There will be no crops planted in eastern Armenia this spring for the country everywhere is suffering from a reign of terror. The presence of the commission of inquiry at Moosh and the indignation of the Christian powers of Europe have had absolutely no effect on the conduct of either the Turks or the Kurds in eastern Turkey. I am just in receipt of trustworthy advice from a non-Armenian source at Van to the effect that a massacre is looked for at any moment. My correspondent writes that they are living "within an inch of a massacre" all the time.

When the new grass of spring enables the Kurdish horsemen to move about the country the work of exterminating the Armenians, which was interrupted by the fall of snow after the Sassoon and Moosh massacres last autumn, will be begun anew. With no crops and no cattle of their own, the Armenians will either die of starvation or flee to Persia and Russia. The famine will seriously affect both Kurds and Turks, as they live mainly upon the industry of the Armenians—the former by open bandit robbery and the latter by extortion and outrageous taxation.

It is a fact, which the British government can verify by consulting the report of Mr. Paton, an official of the British consulate at Tebriz, Persia, that in several cases the Turkish officials in the devastated district of Armenia there could hardly save the Armenians from death and the property from destruction; but, when they protested against the murderous raids of the troops, the officers read to them the orders of the sultan, and so nothing could be done. In many cases the officials of the villages warned the Armenians a day before the soldiers appeared in order that the poor people might have a chance to escape.

The investigation of Mr. Paton along the Persian border has been confirmed, in a general way, the facts which I have incidentally obtained during the past eight weeks. He has collected many heartrending stories of persecution, robbery, outrage and murder, with names, dates and places, and as convincing proof that the refugees who gave testimony to him told the truth it may be said that, in a general way, the facts obtained in different places were practically the same. The events of the massacre were so horrible that even the chronic exaggeration of the Armenian mind fails to add anything to them.

Mr. Paton was accompanied on this tour of investigation by Dr. Wright, an American missionary stationed at Salmas. These gentlemen took the testimony from several witnesses to the effect that when

the Turkish soldiers and Kurds appeared at a certain village they killed some of the villagers who dared to protest against their outrages, and that one of the dead men was cut up and boiled in a kettle like so much beef. The boiled pieces were then given to the villagers as food. The wretched creatures were compelled to eat their dead friend to the last mouthful.

In another village a party of Kurds found a child asleep in a cradle. They overturned the cradle and smothered the child. Then they dissected the body and roasted pieces of it before the fire. As a climax they compelled the members of the family, including the child's mother, to eat the roasted pieces.

MCKINLEY'S PRESIDENTIAL BOOM.

It Will Be Formally Launched at the Ohio Republican Convention.

ZANESVILLE, O., May 27.—Of the Republican state convention which meets here tomorrow and Wednesday the candidates and their workers are here today. Ex-Secretary Charles Foster is among the hustlers, and Senator Sherman will be here before night. There are a dozen candidates for governor, the favorites being General Asa H. Bushnell, Judge Nash and James H. Hoyt. The delegations from Cincinnati and Cleveland favor Hoyt for governor. All are alike in hoisting McKinley's banner for president and Foster for senator.

The Foster men are concentrating on General Bushnell, for governor, and the McKinley men around Judge Nash's ticket. If there should be any formidable opposition to endorsing McKinley for president there would then also be opposition to the endorsement of Foster for senator, and the old factional feeling in the party in this state would break loose in all its fury. The leaders in both factions are exercising all possible discipline to prevent any outbreak, but it is not improbable that the contest will get beyond their control.

Murdered by Brazilian Freebooters.

PARIS, May 27.—The governor of French Guiana cables to the French government that as a consequence of Brazilian freebooters capturing a French settler named Trajane and robbing other Frenchmen on the frontier territory between French Guiana and Brazil, the governor sent a dispatch boat with marines to restore order. M. Lunier, captain of the marines, with only two men, took a flag of truce to demand of Trajane, Cabral, the leader of the freebooters, treacherously fired upon M. Lunier. A fierce conflict ensued, the marines coming to the assistance of the Frenchmen. In two hours' fighting Cabral lost over sixty killed, including himself, and the French five killed, including Lunier, and twenty wounded. It is feared that this encounter will lead to trouble with Brazil. The scene of the conflict being in debatable territory between the two countries.

Punishing the "Sooners."

OKLAHOMA CITY, O. T., May 27.—The penalty for "soonerism" is being indicated already. Of the 237 applications offered at the land office for filing only twenty-seven were accepted. The others were rejected on account of the applicants having entered the Kickapoo country in March, 1893. This is causing intense excitement here, and will affect the great majority of men who made the race for land. Nearly every man in this country has been across the Kickapoo country since that date on business or pleasure. If the secretary of the interior should uphold the action of the land office it will cause numbers of contests.

Secretary Gresham Has a Bad Turn.

WASHINGTON, May 27.—A decidedly unfavorable change in Secretary Gresham's condition occurred Saturday night, and it is said that for some time he was in a very serious condition. This change, it is stated, was the result of a recurrence of the stomach troubles from which he suffered so acutely early in his illness. Although somewhat better today he still feels the effect of the attack of Saturday night. It is understood that his son Otto and Mr. Landis, his private secretary, have been telegraphed to come to Washington.

Killed by Colliding with a Bicycle.

WASHINGTON, May 27.—Eddie Thompson, 13 years old, was struck by a bicycle and almost instantly killed while playing ball on the street here. John Cole, an employee of Gulick's bakery, was riding on Washington avenue with a little boy perched on the handle bar of his wheel when young Thompson, in pursuit of a ball, ran violently against the approaching bicycle. An examination showed that his death was caused by the bursting of a blood vessel in his right lung.

Ex-Secretary McCulloch's Funeral.

WASHINGTON, May 27.—The funeral of the late ex-Secretary McCulloch was private and the services as simple as it was possible to make them. There were no honorary pallbearers, and the bodybearers were the immediate employees of the dead man. The services were held at 11 o'clock this forenoon in the Rock Creek church, a small Episcopal house of worship about two miles beyond the city and opposite the Soldiers' Home. The interment will be in Rock Creek cemetery.

A Big Colliery Resumes.

SHENANDOAH, Pa., May 27.—Shenandoah City colliery, which has been idle for the past three months, resumed operations this morning, giving employment to 800 men and boys. The colliery is the oldest in the Mahanoy valley. During the time it has been idle a massive new breaker for the preparation of coal has been built. The colliery is owned by the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron company.

Deaths from Eating Impure Meat.

GREENSBURG, Pa., May 27.—An Italian miner, living at Bagdad, this county, purchased a large quantity of pork at a price considerably below the market value for the fresh article. He invited eleven of his friends to eat with him upon his return to the Italian settlement. An hour after partaking of the meat two of them died in great agony. The ten others are in a critical condition.

## AN ILLINOIS LYNCHING.

Two Men Dragged from Their Cells by an Enraged Mob.

APPEALS FOR JUSTICE UNHEEDED.

The Plea of a Judge That the Law be Allowed to Take Its Course Laughed at by the Men Who Had Already Pronounced Sentence.

DANVILLE, Ills., May 27.—Determined to mete justice to two young men accused of attacking a prominent young lady of this place, and fearing to trust their fate to Governor Altgeld in the event of conviction by a jury, a mob took possession of the jail in this place early in the morning and lynched John Halla, Jr., and William Royce, who were held in \$5,000 bail each for assaulting Miss Laura Barnett.

From midnight, when the crowd first made its appearance at the jail doors, until the victims were reached, it was the determined, desperate struggle of a frenzied mob to mete summary justice, battling against heavy oaken doors and iron bars, and occasionally halted by the grim stand of a little band of defenders of the law and order under the command of Sheriff Thompson. No amount of parleying on his part and no plea from him could withstand the mob which had one object in view.

After repeated efforts to break down the outer jail door with a telephone pole, which produced little or no effect, the crowd for a moment desisted in their efforts to break into the jail. Ed. McCusker stood on the jail steps and addressed the mob, begging them to desist. They laughed him down. Sheriff Thompson, his wife and Deputy Sheriff James Sloan also besought the mob to disperse.

F. V. Barnett, the father of the injured girl, said to Mrs. Thompson: "Madam, you never had a daughter assaulted, and her blood demands vengeance." His reply was wildly applauded.

At 2 o'clock Sheriff Thompson sent for Judge Bookwalter, of the circuit court, who addressed the crowd from the jail corridor. He made an earnest plea to let the law take its course. He assured the men that Halla and Royce would receive a severe punishment if found guilty; that the trial jury will do its duty.

But the appeal was in vain. The mob, which numbered fully 1,000, finally broke into the jail, searched out the shivering prisoners and dragged them to a bridge with ropes about their necks. There they were both hanged. They died protesting their innocence.

Governor Altgeld's Denial.

CHICAGO, May 27.—Touching the charge made by one of the speakers at the double lynching at Danville, Ills., Governor Altgeld said: "The new-paper men know that the records in the capitol at Springfield show that I have fallen far below the average of pardons and commutations granted each year, while the number of prisoners has nearly doubled and consequently the number of application for pardons has nearly doubled."

Murder in a Church.

NICHOLASVILLE, Ky., May 27.—A bad shooting affray took place at the Troy Presbyterian church, on the line between this county and Woodford, yesterday noon between George and John Montgomery, brothers, and Arch D. Riley. Riley was killed and George Montgomery fatally wounded. Five shots were exchanged, one taking effect in Montgomery and three in Riley. The trouble is of long standing, and grew out of Riley deceiving a sister of the Montgomerys two years ago, and then refusing to live with her. The men met at the church yesterday, and the fight ensued.

But They Did Fight in Kansas.

KANSAS CITY, May 27.—Oscar Gardner, the "Omaha Kid," and Tommy Dixon, of Rochester, fought thirty-six rounds to a finish yesterday afternoon for \$500 a side and a large percentage of the gate receipts, which were \$2,500. The ring was pitched in an open field, on the Kansas side of the river. Both contestants went in at 120 pounds. In the last three rounds, Gardner went to the ground six times, each time remaining fully nine seconds. At the end of the thirty-sixth Gardner was clearly worsted, though not knocked out, and his backers threw up the sponge.

Masked Burglars Rob a Tollhouse.

TUCKERMAN, Pa., May 27.—Three masked burglars robbed the tollhouse at the Susquehanna river bridge at 1 o'clock in the morning. The toll bridge is kept by Sarah Whipple, a widow lady, who, with a lady companion, were the only occupants of the house. The men battered down the door, and while one of them intimidated the women with a revolver the others ransacked the house from top to bottom, securing about \$20 in cash, a gold watch and chain, and other articles.

And Now a Wire Nail Trust.

PITTSBURGH, May 27.—The Dispatch announces that a wire nail trust is in process of formation. Only a few details remain to be arranged. A feature of the deal is reported to be the sale of the Beaver Falls plant to the Consolidated Steel and Wire company. It is said that all the plants in the country will be in the combine except the Philadelphia and Joliet mills, which are operated by Booker & Co., of Pittsburgh, under lease.

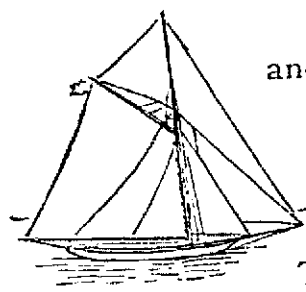
Atlantic and the Pennsylvania League.

READING, Pa., May 27.—It is likely that a baseball club will be organized at Atlantic City this week to take the place of Shenandoah in the Pennsylvania State League. The matter will be decided today, when President Haulon is visiting Atlantic City.

A Republic on Formosa Island.

LISBON, May 27.—A dispatch received in this city confirms the news that a republic has been proclaimed in the island of Formosa.





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# HIS LAST POEM.

In the highlands, in the country places,  
Where the old, plain men have rosy faces  
And the young fair maidens  
Quiet eyes:  
Where essential silence cheers and blesses,  
And forever in the hill recesses  
For no light, music  
Broods and dies.

Oh, to mount again where erst I haunted,  
Where the old red hills are bird enchanted,  
And the low green meadows  
Bright with seaward;  
And when evening dies, the million tinted,  
And the night has come, and planets glinted  
Lo, the valley hollow  
Lamp bestarred!

Oh, to dream, oh, to awake and wander  
There, and with delight to take and render  
Through the trance of silence  
Quiet breath:  
Lo, for there, among the flowers and grasses,  
Only the nightier movement sounds and  
passage.  
Only winds and rivers,  
Life and death.

—R. L. Stevenson.

## VIEW OF MARRIAGE.

**It Consummates Life—No Single Life Is the Perfect One.**

We hear young men say, "I am too poor to get married," and girls, "The man I marry must be rich." These remarks appear harmless, and they may have a certain business shrewdness behind them. Still the larger truth is that the speakers most often do not take an honest view of marriage, no matter how honorable may be their purposes. Money cannot insure happiness, and long experimenting in the countries of Europe has shown that mating for wealth is the sure road to a lax and immoral domestic economy. It would seem that the sensible view to take of marriage is that it consummates life for the poor and the rich, the vulgar and the refined; that no single life is the perfect life. The future of mankind depends almost wholly upon happy marriages and healthy offspring. And this suggests that there should be no marrying of unsound people. Greater selfishness cannot be imagined than that which brings children into the world doomed to a life of inimitable misery, the hereditament of those who bear their parents' burden of disease. Shall we say that questions arise in this connection too delicate for discussion with young persons? Is it better to leave the discussion to be raised after it is too late?

The sensible view of marriage is the view that comprehends every consequence. To the young people looking forward to a long and happy wedded life it is of vital importance that no element of the subject shall be a mystery; that nothing connected with the matrimonial venture shall be left to the hazard of chance. Parents must understand that their children are to be parents; that there is no escape from the responsibility, and that education is incomplete and training inadequate which does not qualify for paternity and maternity. The young man and the young woman who are fitted for marriage are fitted for all that a healthy, courageous and happy life demands or imposes. —Chautauquan.

## Jack's Royal Spree.

"Kipling ought to study Jack," said a naval officer. "Jack's the most picturesque man on land or sea, and nobody has written about him as he is. 'If I could do it as well as Kipling, there is one story I know of which is as good as the 'Reincarnation of Krishna Mulvaney.'"

"When I was assistant engineer on the San Francisco, there was a coal passer named Tom Delargy under me. He had been saving up his money for a long time to cut a big splurge when he was discharged. I think he had about \$600 coming to him.

"Jack is a royal spender," and his shipmates all told him that he needn't go farther than the Bowery to have the most gorgeous spree.

"But Delargy wasn't going to be so commonplace. He took time to think it all out, and whenever he got hold of an American newspaper he studied it. The way the railroad magnates enjoyed life struck his fancy.

"So when his time was up, and 'Pay' turned over Delargy's \$600 to him, he went and chartered a private car and rode around the country till his money was gone. Then he came back and re-enlisted." —New York Journal.

## Emotional Literature.

"I suppose you see all sorts of people in the course of a day's run?" said the of servant man to the train boy as he brought a package of wintergreen chewing gum.

"You bet!" said the boy, after the manner of his kind. "Look across the way there at that woman a-cryin over 'Unlucky Married; or, the Doom of Mary Jane.' When she come on the car this mornin, she were as pretty as a wax figger, all red and white. Sence she's been a-readin that novel she's cried till her face is all streaked and striped. The paint's run so she looks jest like a zebray." And the youth walked on, leaving the observant man in deep thought. —Detroit Free Press.

## Wanted.

Ladies and gentlemen suffering with throat and lung difficulties to call at our drug store for a bottle of Otto's Cure, which we are distributing free of charge, and we can confidently recommend it as a superior remedy for Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis, Consumption, and all diseases of the throat and lungs. It will stop a cough quicker than any known remedy. We will guarantee it to cure you. If your children have croup or whooping cough it is sure to give instant relief. Don't delay but get a trial bottle free. Large sizes 50c and 25c. Sold by J. J. Chambers, 21 West Main street.

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# A TEST.

**The Sheikh Tried It and Was Convinced of Its Power.**

The mighty Sheikh Abdullah spoke one day to the court sage, old Enkaz, as follows:

"You are always ready to give sensible advice, O Enkaz. Perhaps you could tell me which of my counselors is really shrewd."

"A very simple matter," replied the sage confidently. "I will tell you at once, mighty sheik, how it is to be managed to and compose a long ballad this very day."

"Stop!" interrupted the sheik. "You forget that I am no poet."

"That's just it, mighty sheik. Go and write at once a long ballad and read to your assembled counselors."

"But, Enkaz, bear in mind that I never wrote a line of poetry in my life."

"So much the better. When you have read the long ballad to your counselors, you will judge of the effect yourself. Tomorrow I will come again and learn of your observations."

The next day the wise Enkaz entered, saying:

"Did you follow my advice, mighty sheik?"

"Certainly."

"And what happened after you had read your ballad?" inquired the old man, smiling.

"Oh, I was completely taken by surprise. One exclaimed that this was the long sought for ballad of the great poet Iba Yemin; another that I was a new bright luminary in the firmament of poetry; a third craved permission to cut off a piece of my robe in memory of the eventful occasion and the immortal bard—in a word, they were in ecstasies and praised my ideas and my language up to the skies."

"And what about old Henri Adin?" eagerly questioned the sage.

"Ah, he dropped to sleep while I was reading."

"Ha, ha! What did you conclude from that, mighty sheik?" said the old man triumphantly.

"What conclusion could I come to," replied the sheik, with some surprise, "if not the same as all the rest—namely, that I possess very great talent for poetry?"

Enkaz saluted, lighted his chibuk and—held his peace, for he was in sooth a wise man. —Chicago Tribune.

## The Uncertainties of a Trying Callig.

"Who is this man who carries a dress suit case in one hand and a pair of overalls in the other?"

"His name is Kollum Raikes and he is a very versatile and distinguished journalist. He is fully equipped, as you see, for his work on 'The Morning Fake.'"

"But why does he carry the dress suit case and the overalls?"

"Because he is doing night duty and he wishes to be ready for any emergency."

"Well, but—"

"Well, how does he know whether the managing editor will hand him a mop or a pair of opera tickets? I tell you he's an all round newspaper man, and they use him for pretty near everything from washing windows to writing musical criticisms. —Life.

## Touched.

"Success?"

The pianist tossed his lionine locks back from his brow.

"Success?"

His fingers wandered aimlessly among the keys.

"Is all in the touch."

Persons who had been touched for \$5 a seat to hear him play had, by a curious coincidence, arrived at an identical conclusion quite independently. —Detroit Tribune.

## An Accommodating Friend.

Vanderbump—You heard him call me donkey, didn't you?

Dusenberry—Certainly.

"You will go on the witness stand and swear to it, won't you?"

"Of course, with the greatest pleasure in the world." —Texas Sittings.

## Looked Like It.

Caller—Is Miss Sweetie at home?

New Girl—Yes, sir.

Caller—Is she engaged?

New Girl—Well, I'm th' crushed up look thin big sleeves had pluin Or went in to stir th' fire. Or shud say she wuz.

—New York Weekly.

## Feeling Good.

"Is Chatter going to sue the trolley car company for damages since his wine was injured?"

"No; he's going to pay them a big sum."

"What for?"

"He's not able to talk since."

## He Believed It.

Mrs. P. K.—This paper says that a sen-

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MONDAY, MAY 27, 1895.

Dun's Review is authority for the statement that 22,029 freight and seventy-two passenger cars have been ordered by different railroad companies since Jan. 1st. This is 5,000 cars more than were ordered in the whole year 1894.

Here is one of many proofs of the revival of the iron trade. The Pittsburgh banks report the withdrawals for pay rolls in the past month as \$2,383,397, against \$1,865,818 in the same month last year by the same concerns.

The June number of *The Forum* is of unusual interest, and contains a number of very timely articles. The silver question is discussed by W. H. Harvey, author of "Coin's Financial School," and Hon. J. DeWitt Warner. Gen. Francis A. Walker writes of "The Growth of American Nationality," and Dr. Charles L. Dana on "Are We Degenerating?" A noteworthy article is "The Improving Condition of Business."

Disston & Sons, saw manufacturers in Philadelphia, have advanced the wages of their employees ten per cent. This was the reduction made by the firm in the latter part of 1893 when it claimed that the proposed reduction in the duty on saws, slight though it was, made it impossible to continue wages at the old rates. The voluntary restoration of wages to McKimley tariff rate would seem to be a frank admission that the Disstons were more scared than hurt by the Democratic tariff and that American saw makers are not dependent for prosperity on protective duties but can hold their own in competition with all the world.

The meeting of the Democratic Editorial Association of the State in New York, last week, was successful beyond the most sanguine hopes of its projectors, and cannot fail to be productive of results that will prove of substantial benefit to the cause of Democracy. All parts of the State were represented, and there was the freest interchange of views on questions of public and party policy. Most noticeable was the absence of any trace of factional spirit in public and private discussion, and when Senator Hill and ex-Secretary Fairchild touched elbows at the banquet table it was but giving formal expression to the sentiment that animated all, that personal differences and factional feuds must be buried and forgotten for Democratic welfare, which is the welfare of the whole people. Every editor who was present at the conference goes back to his work with broader views of Democratic possibilities and brighter hopes for the Democratic future, prepared to work more earnestly, more zealously and more effectively for the triumph of Democratic principles and the success of Democratic candidates.

NORWICH'S BAPTIST CHURCH FEUD.  
The Old Trustees Will Not Yield a Point - Litigation Inevitable.

The old trustees of the Norwich Baptist Church persist in their refusal to turn over the property to the new Board, and even refused to let them have the baptismal robes, claiming that they had no legal right to allow them to be taken from the church. A public baptism had been announced to take place, yesterday afternoon, and in order that the programme might be carried out baptismal robes were borrowed from the church at Greene. It is expected that legal proceedings will be instituted, this week, to compel the old trustees, to surrender the church property.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE REPORT  
JAS. P. TIGHE, Commission Broker, Stern Building, 15 North Street, Middletown, N. Y.  
Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Provisions bought and sold for cash or carried on margin.

	Yesterday's Close	Today's Close
Sugar	11 1/2	11 1/2
U. S. F.	7 1/2	8 1/4
O. B. & Q.	80 1/2	82
Chicago Gas	74 1/2	74 1/2
D. L. & W.	10 1/2	10 1/2
D. & C. F.	10 1/2	10 1/2
Gen. Electric	35 1/2	35 1/2
L. & N.	50 1/2	50 1/2
L. S.	140 1/2	140 1/2
M. F.	22 1/2	22 1/2
N. Y. & N. E.	42 1/2	42 1/2
N. Y. O.	102 1/2	102 1/2
N. W.	99 1/2	99 1/2
N. W. & Western	12 1/2	12 1/2
O. & W.	14 1/2	14 1/2
Manhattan	116 1/2	116 1/2
Southern Ry.	14 1/2	14 1/2
P. & E.	10 1/2	10 1/2
P. & N.	60 1/2	60 1/2
C. & St. P.	14 1/2	14 1/2
W. Union	92 1/2	92 1/2
D. S. Cordage	14 1/2	14 1/2
Nat. Lead	84 1/2	84 1/2
July Wheat	77 1/2	78 1/2
July Corn	68 1/2	68 1/2
July Oats	26 1/2	26 1/2
July Pork	112 1/2	112 1/2
July Lard	6 1/2	6 1/2

Beads and Bad? Get Miller's Pain Pills.

## LATEST BY TELEGRAPH

NO HABEAS CORPUS FOR DFBS.

He and His Associates Must Serve Their sentences for Contempt of Court.

WASHINGTON, May 27.—The Supreme Court, to-day, denied the motion for a writ of habeas corpus filed by De S and his associates, and they will have to serve sentences of from three to six months for contempt of court.

FORCED TO GIVE UP HIS MONEY.

A Kingston Man Found and Tortured by a Burglar.

KINGSTON, May 27.—This morning a burglar entered the room of John Harrington, a tobaccoist, and pounded and tortured him until he revealed where his money was. The burglar got a small amount of cash and a few checks.

SUPERINTENDENT BYRNES RETIRES.  
NEW YORK, May 27.—Supt. Byrnes to-day applied to the Commissioners as being to be retired. The application was granted. He is given a pension of \$3,000 a year.

DR. BUCHANAN RE-SENTENCED.

SING SING, May 27.—Wife murderer Buchanan was taken to Albany, to-day, and re-sentenced by the Court of Appeals, to be electrocuted during the week beginning July 1st.

Old Men at Dinner.

At the Essex Club in Newark, N. J., on Thursday last, fifteen men sat down to dinner, whose combined ages aggregated 1236 years, an average of 82.5 years. There were four nonagenarians, six octogenarians and five septuagenarians in the party.

Strawberry and Ice Cream Festival.

The ladies of the Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers will hold a strawberry and ice cream festival at their lodge rooms, corner of East Main Street and Railroad Avenue, Wednesday evening, May 29th. There will be dancing also.

McQuoid's Annual Re-union.

The twenty-second annual re-union of McQuoid Engine Company will be held at the engine house, this evening. Only members of the company and their lady friends will be present.

Wheelmen's Prizes on Exhibition.

The prizes for the wheelmen's races are now on exhibition in the window of B. F. Gordon's jewelry store. They consist of diamonds, watches, opera glasses, cyclometers, wheelmen's suits, etc., and are well worth competing for.

Life Insurance Paid.

C. E. Gardner, agent for the Aetna Life Insurance Company, of Hartford, Conn., has paid the claim of Mrs. Ella R. Timbrell on the life of her husband the late Ezekiah S. Timbrell, of Unionville, who died about April 1st.

Wait for the Old Reliable! Hunting's Circus, Museum and Menagerie; larger and better than ever, will give two performances in Middletown, on Friday, June 21.

The price of admission remains the same, 25 cents general admission. Children under nine years of age will be admitted for 10 cents in the afternoon only. At night everyone 25 cents. Wait for the show that has always kept faith with you.

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THE DECKERTOWN RACES.

A Good Attendance and Some Good Sport—The Winners.

The races on the Wantage Driving Park, Saturday, were well attended and very interesting.

There were three events, the first a free-for-all in which there were five entries. Dutchy, owned by Chas. Casterline, of Florida, took the first two heats in 2:29 1/2 and 2:31 1/2, and VanCott, entered by A. Bonnyman, of Warwick, the next three and the race in 2:28 1/2, 2:33 1/2 and 2:30 1/2.

In the 2:40 class there were six starters. The race was won in three straight heats by Kitty Wilkes owned by W. B. Edwards, of Ruthersford, in 2:40 1/2, 2:42 1/2 and 2:43 1/2. In the 3:00 class there were five starters. The winner was Starlight who took the second, third and fifth heats in 2:37 1/2, 2:38 1/2, 2:38 1/2. The first heat was won by Cuyler Dean, owned by Edward Wilson, of Deckertown, in 2:42 1/2 and the fourth by the same in 2:38 1/2.

The judges were W. Gibbs and L. J. Martin, of Deckertown, and E. R. Russell, of Middletown.

An Imposing Ceremony.

The Sodality of the Children of Mary, a society of eighty young ladies, was formally recognized as a society of St. Joseph's Church, last evening.

The ladies were dressed in white with white veils, and occupied the centre pews.

Rev. Father Butler, the director of the society, called them to the altar and presented each with a silver badge, and then delivered an address formally receiving them into the church.

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Made Peace With His Wife.

Motorman Sparks, whose marital troubles recently filled considerable space in the papers, was arrested, this morning, charged by his wife with abandonment and non-support. After a long conference he induced Mrs. Sparks to withdraw the complaint, and they left the court room together.

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## WEATHER INDICATIONS.

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WASHINGTON, D. C., May 27.—Decidedly cooler, to night, possibly frosts; Tuesday morning, rain, followed by fair; northerly winds be coming northwesterly.

## THE TEMPERATURE.

The following was the registry of the thermometer at Pronk's drug store, to-day:  
7 a. m., 64°; 12 m., 62°; 3 p. m., 62°.

## AMUSEMENT AND RECREATION.

—May 28—Mary Powell excursion.  
—May 30—Wooling Wild West.  
—May 30—Eagle Hose Co. clam bake, at Midway Park.  
—May 30—Bicycle meet, at Campbell track.  
—May 30—"Queen Esther."  
—June 2—Wentworth Germania picnic.  
—June 21—Hunting's Circus.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

—A chance to save money at Chas. Wolf & Son.  
—Secure the famous dust pan at Weller & Demerest's.  
—Shirt waists at The New York Store.  
—Three days' sale of silks at Geo. B. Adams & Co.  
—Property for sale or exchange by Gardner & McWilliams.  
—Straw hats at John E. Adams's.  
—Agents wanted to distribute perfume.  
—Bargain in real estate.  
—The Wooling Wild West will exhibit in this city May 30th.  
—Every department filled with bargains at H. E. Churchill & Co.'s.  
—Seed corn, clover and timothy seed for sale by Chas. J. Emerson.  
—Diamond medal patent flour for sale by C. N. Fredmore & Son.  
—Fishing tackle of all kinds cheap at Geo. A. B. & Son's.  
—Good men's, boys' and children's clothing cheap at A. J. Canfield's.  
—Fine butter and cheese at Mapes Bros.  
—Baking powder 10 a pound at Hamilton's.  
—J. E. Erskine Mills is agent for Leggett's dry power saw.  
—See Vincent D. Maggio's list of prices for lessons on musical instruments.  
—The Middletown Clothing Co. tell you how to get a new suit for little money.  
—J. D. Horton invites inspection of his brand new line of dry goods.

## LIVE LOCAL TOPIC.

—Mr. Jas. H. Wallick's baggage and stock car arrived in town last evening.  
—The Middletown Wagon Company has received another carload of Studebaker wagons.  
—A number of Middletown people went to Goshen, last evening, to hear Rev. Mr. Adams's lecture, "A Convert's Story," at St. John's Church.  
—In the suit of Patrick O'Hehir and another, against the Traction Company, tried at Newburgh, Saturday, a verdict for \$490 was rendered against the company.  
—We understand that the Traction Company proposes, in the near future, to extend its Academy avenue line to the Hogan Boiler Works.  
—There will be no rehearsal of the Oratorio Society, this evening, as had been arranged. The society will go to Goshen, Friday evening, on a special car, leaving Franklin Square at 7 o'clock.  
—A business meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held, Wednesday afternoon, at 3 o'clock, in the rooms. Those who took tickets to sell for the Queen Esther concert will please report at that time.  
—A house at Lake View, N. J., owned by Mrs. J. S. Linderman, formerly of the town of Crawford, was destroyed by fire, Friday night. The loss is \$2,700; insurance \$2,300.  
—The warm showers of to-day have been of incalculable value to crops of all kinds, and if the weather continues warm, vegetation will quickly make up the time lost during the two weeks of cold weather.  
—The bowling craze has about died out in Middletown, but over in Port Jervis the fever is just breaking out. A score of 198, made by two of the most expert bowlers, is considered good enough for publication.

## PERSONAL.

—Mr. L. R. Garrison and family drove to Milford, Pa., yesterday, where they will spend two weeks.  
—Mr. Wilmot Moore has accepted a position as bookkeeper with the Standard Oil Company in this city.  
—Mr. Harvey Conklin, who has been visiting friends in this city and Ellenville, returned to his home in Monroe this morning.  
—Hon. and Mrs. W. J. Groo will attend the gold medal contest at Glen Wild, Sullivan county, this evening, which will be held under the direction of Mrs. S. M. Cole. The medals will be presented by Judge Groo.  
—Friends of Conductor Thomas Mable will regret to learn that he is in a critical condition. A consultation of physicians was held Saturday. But little encouragement was given the family.  
—Mr. Malcolm C. Rorty, of this city, has been elected one of the business managers of the Sibley Journal of Engineering, published by the engineering students of Cornell University.  
Postponed.  
Owing to the inclemency of the weather, Mr. Stevens's organ recital will not take place until Tuesday evening, June 4th.

## World's Columbian Exposition

Will be of value to the world by illustrating the improvements in the mechanical arts and eminent physicians will tell you that the progress in the medical agents, has been of equal importance, and as a strengthening laxative that Syrup of Figs is in advance of all others.

## THE FILE WORKS SHUT DOWN

A Cracked Piston Rod on the Engine Makes a Stoppage for Repairs Necessary.

Engineer Randall, of the File Works, noticed, Saturday afternoon, a clicking sound in the engine, which usually runs almost noiselessly, and shut down as quickly as possible. Examination showed that the piston rod was cracked, and but for Mr. Randall's watchfulness the engine would probably have been seriously damaged.

The cracked piston rod will have to be replaced by a new one, which has been ordered from Salem, Ohio, where the engine was built. It is not known how long a time will be necessary in order to replace the broken rod, but until the engine can be repaired the works will be shut down.

## A STOLEN RIC RECOVERED.

William Johnson, the Thief, Held in New Jersey for Requisition Papers.

Liveryman John P. Sayer returned, Saturday, from Pompton, N. J., where he recovered a horse and wagon which had been stolen from him last week. The young man who had hired the rig and who was in custody proved to be William Johnson, of this city, who was arrested in 1889 for a similar offense, upon complaint of Lewis B. Scott. Johnson was held by the New Jersey authorities awaiting requisition papers.

The horse was so badly done up by the hard drive given it by the thief, that it is very doubtful if it ever recovers from its effects so as to be of much use.

## MIDDLETOWN AND GLOVERSVILLE.

Dr. Robinson Gives a Talk on the Sister Cities.

Rev. Dr. Robinson, at the First Congregational Church, last evening, gave a talk on Middletown and Gloversville, from observations made during his recent trip to the latter city to attend the General Conference of Congregational Churches. He spoke of the fact that they are sister cities, having been admitted to the list of cities in the same year and being about the same size.

While the doctor had many good words for Gloversville, especially for her straight and well kept streets, his comparison of the two cities is in the main favorable to Middletown. Our own city is more highly favored commercially, by reason of its being a railroad center and on account of the fine farming country surrounding it.

From a moral standpoint there is little difference. Both have many churches and as few of the great evils as most other cities of their size, although both have more than they should have.

## The Erie's Memorial Day Excursion.

The Erie's holiday excursion on Memorial Day, May 30th, promises to be very enjoyable to all who go. Special train both ways, fast time and only \$1 for the round trip. James street at 7:54 and Main street at 7:56 a. m. Returning, leave Twenty-third street at 7:40 and Chamber street at 7:45 p. m.; Jersey City at 8 p. m., arriving at Middletown at 10 p. m. The attractions in New York are many and sure to please everyone.

## Woman's Auxiliary of Archdeaconry of Orange.

On Wednesday, the annual meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Archdeaconry of Orange, will be held in Grace Church. The Rev. Walter Smith, Curate of the Church of Heavenly Rest, New York, will give an address at the service at 11:30. The delegates, about thirty in number will dine at the Oriental Hotel.

## Engagement Announced.

The New York Herald of yesterday, announced the engagement of Miss Bertha Wolff, of this city, to Mr. Leo Barnett, of Amsterdam, N. Y. Miss Wolff is the daughter of ex-Alderman and Mrs. Charles Wolff, of this city. Mr. Barnett is a well known clothing merchant of Amsterdam, where he and his brother have been in business for the past fourteen years.

## Jumped From a Moving Car.

Wm. Logan, while attempting to alight from a car on East Main street, near Broad, Saturday evening, fell, striking his head against the ground and sustaining a bad scalp wound.

## A New Time Table for the Erie.

A new time table will go into effect on the Erie, Thursday, June 9, which it said will make radical changes and play havoc with the old time card.

## The Mary Powell Excursion.

If it rains, Tuesday morning, the Mary Powell excursion for the benefit of Thrall Hospital will be postponed to a date hereafter to be announced.

## Drs. Jones &amp; Potter's special

system for curing rupture consists of placing in the canal through which the rupture passes their healing medicine with the hypodermic needle, each week, until it is entirely healed. It does not cause pain, danger or detention from business.

At the Russell House, Thursdays.

## AT THE COUNTY SEAT.

## INCIDENTS AND HAPPENINGS IN GOSHEN.

"A Convert's Story"—Investigating the Street Sprinkling System—For Base Ball Enthusiasts—Many Other Notes. (from Our Regular Correspondent.)

—About 350 people listened to the lecture delivered by Henry Austin Adams, M. A., in St. John's Church, last night. The subject, "A Convert's Story," was interestingly presented.

—Mr. Clinton W. Wisner, President of the village of Warwick, was in town, Saturday, investigating the operations of Goshen's street sprinkler, with the idea of adopting the same system in Warwick.

—Erie train No. 10 will stop at Goshen on the morning of Memorial Day, to accommodate those who wish to attend the base ball games in New York on that day. The train will leave this station at 6:11 a. m.

—The public schools will close Wednesday night, and the children will be given a vacation until next Monday.

—Eighteen members of F. M. Cummings Post, G. A. R., and twenty-eight members of Maj. Murray Camp, S. of V., attended the M. E. Church, last night, and listened to an interesting historical address by Rev. S. F. White. Both organizations were in full regulation uniform.

—A drunk paid \$3 fine at police headquarters, this morning.

—Mr. John B. Dusenberry and family, of Newark, N. J., are on a visit to Mr. and Mrs. John Dusenberry, in this village.

Charles D. Pierce is at Goshen, to-day, looking after the legal processes in connection with the Pierce Artesian Well Company.

—The Goshen Vocal Society will drive over to Warwick, to-night, to rehearse the "Creation" with the Vocal Society of that village.

—A special trolley car has been engaged by a party of Goshenites, who will attend the drill at the armory in Middletown, to-morrow night.

—The entries for the Decoration Day races, on the Driving Park, assure good sport. There are six entries in the 2:32 class; eleven in the 2:40, and four in the special class.

—A testimonial concert is to be given in the chapel of the First Presbyterian Church, of Goshen, next Thursday evening, Memorial Day, to the organist, Mr. William Wall Whiddit, Jr., who expects to go abroad June 25th, and study with M. Alexandre Guilmant, in Paris. A very attractive program has been arranged. Miss Jessie Shay, pianist, of New York; Mr. Carl Kegel, clarinetist, of New York; Miss Blanche Muth, of Warwick, and Miss Carrie Howland, of Chester, are to take part, followed by a short organ recital in the church by Whiddit. Tickets fifty cents.

—Goshen to New York and return, via Electric Road, O. & W. Railway and Steamer Mary Powell, to-day, May 28th. Car leaves Goshen 6:05 a. m., to connect with O. & W. at Middletown. Fare \$1.35 for the round trip. Tickets are on sale to-day, at the store of Horton & Dean.

## IN ANCIENT GOSHEN.

The Soloists for the Musical Festival—Other Items of Local Interest—Juvenile Profanity.

From a Special Correspondent.

—On the evening of Wednesday, June 5th, "The Stabat Mater," will be given at Music Hall, Goshen, with the following soloists: Miss Katherine Hilke, soprano; Miss Louise Clary, alto; Mr. Thomas Evans Green, tenor, and Dr. Carl E. Martin, basso. The "Stabat Mater" will be preceded by an interesting program of incidental selections. On the evening of Friday, June 7th, "Judas Maccabaeus," will be sung by the Vocal Society, assisted by the Middletown Oratorio Society and the following artists: Miss Frances Miller, soprano; Miss Fielding L. Roselle, alto; Mr. George E. Devoll, tenor, and Mr. Townsend Fellows, basso. On the evening of Thursday, June 13th, "Judas Maccabaeus," will be sung in Middletown, with Miss Katherine Hilke, Miss Margaret M. Leverich, Mr. George E. Devoll and Mr. George H. Wiseman as soloists, and on Friday will be given at Warwick, by the Vocal Society of that place, assisted by the Goshen chorus, the oratorio of "The Creation," the soloists being Miss Katherine Hilke, Mr. George Devoll and Mr. Ericsson Bushnell. The Middletown singers will rehearse with the Goshen chorus next Friday evening, and the members of the Goshen chorus will drive to Warwick on Monday evening, to rehearse "The Creation." Mrs. Mary Andrus, of Middletown, will act as accompanist at all these concerts.

—Mr. and Mrs. William Sanford are the guests of Mrs. Sanford's father, Col. Burt, at his home near this village.

—The ladies of St. James' Guild met to sew on Wednesday, at the residence of Mrs. Myers, on Church street.

—One hears and reads a great deal about the innocence of children, and perhaps it is because unto the pure all things are pure that the average small boy—and often he is a very small boy, indeed—is so proud of his first attempt at profanity. The writer recently overheard a conversation

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U.S. Gov't Report

# Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

Geo. B. Adams & Co.

## Three Days' Sale of Middletown Silks at Less Than Silk Mill Prices.

How—Why because we took them all, having bought all the piece goods on hand at the Union Street Silk Mill at a low figure; we will open a three days' sale, Wednesday the 29, and give the people of our city and vicinity an opportunity to buy silks at less than silk mill prices.

The silks consist of High Grade Novelties as follows: 24 inch figured Taffeta Silk; 24 inch shot Taffeta Silk, 24 inch brocade Novelty Silks. All the same quality and patterns that they have sold to jobbers in New York at 67½c. a yard.

Our prices for Wednesday, Friday and Saturday, as compared with New York retail prices: 24 inch figured Taffeta Silks, New York retail price 89c, our sale price 59c; 24 inch shot Taffeta Silks, New York retail price 89c, our sale price 59c; 24 inch brocade Novelty Silks, New York retail price 98c, our sale price 59c.

We also include in this sale: 15 pieces 19 and 22 inch figured India Silks at 25c a yard; 20 pieces 22 inch Wash Silks, regular price 35c, sale price 29c; 20 pieces each plain India Silks, opera shades, 25 and 50c a yard.

These silks are displayed in our North window. Silk days are Wednesday, Friday and Saturday, this week.

## Geo. B. Adams & Co.

N. B.—Wall paper, Tuesday and Wednesday, 12½ quality at 3c roll, border to match.

## HOUSEKEEPERS!

RID YOUR HOMES of MOTHS, BUGS, AND ROACHES with MAGIC INSECT EXTERMINATOR, 25c.

W. D. OLNEY, DRUGGIST



## DON'T LIE!

Awake nights figuring on whether you had better sell the cow in order to get the price the merchant tailor wants for a new suit, or sacrifice your feelings by getting one ready made.

Try the manufacturing tailors where sub divided labor and system works marvels in fashionable attire. We will go nooks with you on what we save. Suits from \$50 down. Trousers \$3 up.

## MIDDLETOWN CLOTHING MANUFACTORY

39 West Main Street.

Branch Kingston Clothing Manufactory.

## Thrall Hospital

AND

## The State Armory.

We have some beautiful China Souvenirs of the above. Just look in our south window.

Cups and saucers, after dinner coffees, odd plates, bon bon dishes, etc., and the price will surprise you.

We also have a special Tea Set, of 56 pieces, at \$2 98, that will be hard to beat for more money.

THE

## C. E. Crawford Furniture Co.

44-46 North street.

## STRAWBERRIES

are growing just! Our strawberry Ice Cream Soda is growing more delicious! It's made from fresh fruit. Last week it was a strawberry blossom, yesterday a ripe luscious berry, to-day it's a strawberry soda—yours if you want it. And the ice cream part of it! Real Orange county all through, no glue, no corn starch, no arrow root nor other party abominations, but all pure, delicious, healthful. At 5 cents a glass it's the best advertisement we can get.

McMonagle & Rogers, Druggists.

## ONLY ONE STANDARD

of quality in medicine and that the very highest. This has been our rule and practice for over 25 years. Every prescription entrusted to us is compounded with accuracy and fidelity. No substitute permitted.

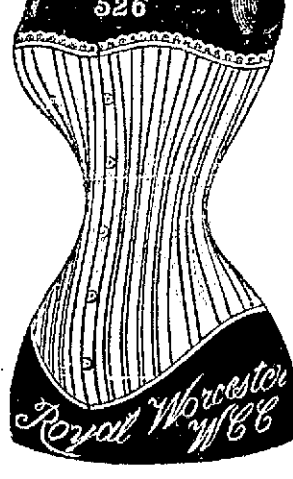
McMonagle & Rogers, Druggists and Pharmacists.

## WILL NOT SCRATCH!

Some superb sponges, called sheep's wool, because soft as a fleece of wool and wearing like cloth of pure wool (not shoddy), just right for washing your carriage—they will not scratch its polished surface.

McMonagle & Rogers, Druggists.

## W. C. CORSET.



Is guaranteed to create a more exquisite figure, a longer and more graceful waist, increase the size of the bust, reduce the size of the waist, wear longer, and give you more ease and comfort than any other corset made. For sale only by us.

## Fletcher's

7 W. Main St., Middletown, N. Y.



easy. Obstinate and hopeless cases solicited.







## FIRST IN HIS CLASS.

Cadet Midshipman Powelson's Big Lead in the Final Examinations.

The examinations at the United States Naval Academy, at Annapolis, Saturday, Cadet Midshipman Wilfred V. N. Powelson took the final examinations in his six years' course and the result, which was posted Saturday, shows that he has increased his lead over the second man in the class eleven units. At the end of the fourth year, Cadet Powelson's lead was four units and that he has been able to increase it, in spite of the fact that the year spent in the study of naval construction at the Glasgow University counted for nothing in the examinations, showed not only his natural ability, but also his thorough mastery of all the studies of the course. The final examination determines the number of cadets in the navy, and Cadet Powelson outranks all his classmates.

Mr. Powelson is expected to reach this city, to-night. He will have a sixty days' leave of absence, the first long leave he has had in six years.

## FAKIRS FIND MANY VICTIMS.

Thenango County Men Pillaged by Followers of the Wild West Show.

The Wyoming Wild West show, which will be here Decoration Day, seems to be accompanied by a horde of fakirs, who pillage most unmercifully the unwary and the Smart Aleaks who think they can beat a man at his own game. At Norwich, Friday, several persons were swindled out of from \$5 to \$25 and Albert F. Wilcox, of Oxford, was done out of an even \$100, which he was showing to a fakir, in order to convince him that he (Wilcox) was a fit man to be trusted to travel with the show at a big salary to represent an agricultural implement factory.

It would be well for the police to be extra watchful when the show visits this city, and to gather in every fakir as soon as he begins to ply his trade.

## LOOKING FOR A WARRANT.

A Town of Crawford Farmer Will Cause the Arrest of a Young Man for Assaulting His Daughter.

Samuel L. Clearwater, of the town of Crawford, was in this city, this morning, looking for a Justice of the Peace to secure a warrant for the arrest of a young man on the charge of criminally assaulting his daughter, aged eighteen years.

The assault is alleged to have been committed at the house of a farmer in the town of Crawford where the girl was employed, on Christmas day, while the family were absent from home. The girl did not tell her parents of the assault until a day or two ago, when her condition was such that an explanation became necessary.

Mr. Clearwater applied to Justice Higgins, who directed him to apply to a Justice in the town of Crawford, as the offense was committed in that town and all the parties concerned reside there.

## HIGH UP IN THE AIR.

The Frisky Youths of Thompson Ridge Take Liberties With Erskine Ward's Wagon.

When the people in the vicinity of Thompson Ridge started for church yesterday, they were surprised to see upon the peak of the roof of the creamery at the station a farm wagon in which were a barrel and other articles.

As the roof is twenty feet high it is something of a mystery as to how the wagon got there, but the mystery could doubtless be explained by several of the young men at the Ridge who were out late Saturday night. Mr. Erskine Ward is the owner of the wagon and would like to have it to use but just how to get it he don't know.

## ADVERTISED FOR A MOTHER-IN-LAW.

Answer to a Port Jervis Man's Adv. in the Woman's Edition of the Union.

Druggist T. B. Anderson, of Port Jervis, advertised in the Woman's Edition of the Port Jervis Union for a mother-in-law. He has received the following answer:

STATION E. CLEVELAND, O.

Mr. T. B. Anderson, Port Jervis, N. Y.:

Dear Sir:—Noticing your adv. for a "mother-in-law," in the Port Jervis Union of May 3rd, of your city, I thought I had as dear an old mother as one could wish, and I think she would make as dear a mother to some one else, and if your age is anywhere between forty and fifty and you want to answer this, mayhap you might like her for a mother-in-law. Yours with respect,

MISS C. McNAIR.

Something From a Gloversville Mother.

"I have a baby eighteen months old and I write to say I have used Dr. Hand's Colic Cure and also Dr. Hand's Teething Lotion and am glad to let others know that I think them splendid Children's Remedies.—Mrs. Jeremiah J. Ellagate, 18 Smith avenue, Gloversville, N. Y." Dr. Hand's Colic Cure and Dr. Hand's Teething Lotion are sold by all druggists for 25c.

Use Page's Climax salve for burns and scalds. It draws out pain in less than five minutes and prevents a blister. Truly the cook's best friend.

## Y. M. C. A. MEMORIAL SERVICE.

A Very Large Attendance Yesterday Afternoon—Eloquent Address by Rev. R. B. Clark, of Goshen.

There was a large attendance, yesterday afternoon, at the M. E. Church, at the memorial service arranged by the Young Men's Christian Association.

Mr. J. Erskine Miller, president of the association, presided.

Rev. W. A. Robinson, D. D., read the Scriptures, and was followed in prayer by Rev. Frank A. Wilson, pastor of the church.

Then followed the address by Rev. Robert B. Clark, of Goshen, in his popular and eloquent style, which held the constant attention of his hearers. He referred to the monuments and anniversaries that mark the great events of the histories of the countries of the world, the Parthenon Coliseum, the Arch of Triumph, Nelson Memorial, &c. In our own calendar three events are especially prominent: The birthday of the Father of our Country, the signing of the Declaration of Independence and the Emancipation Proclamation. Practically we commemorate only one day aside from our Independence Day,—that is Decoration Day. But they have all come to be commemorated in principles of magnificent outlook.

Milton sings of war in heaven, Revelation speaks of war, and there has even been war on this planet. The first rebel was the devil. Improvement has come through war.

Mr. Clark then briefly described the changes in arm, equipments and tactics, showing how the principles of Napoleon have been disproved; he described the superiority of the rifled gun over the smooth bore, and said that, to day, every man was trained to aim at something; so with the soldiers of the gospel, they should aim to hit. He said that success in war did not always come to those who merited it, and cited instances of our generals. Very touchingly he related pathetic incidents of the war, and beautifully recited a portion of Tennyson's "Princess."

The meeting was then dismissed by Rev. Frank A. Heath, with the benediction. The audience joined in singing "America."

A union choir, under the direction of Mr. W. W. Clark, conducted the singing, and Mrs. Iseman presided at the organ.

## ARTESIAN WELL FISHING.

A Goshen Fish Story Illustrated in the Sunday World.

The Sunday World, under the heading, "What a Fish Story," published the Goshen Independent's story of the catch of eyeless fish by Messrs. Roys and Mould, in the artesian well at Howell's creamery.

The article was accompanied with a full column illustration showing the anglers at the top of the well, the line running down 300 feet through the pipe, and the hook with a fish about to seize it in the subterranean stream at the bottom.

## Hatters Going to Yonkers.

Messrs. N. C. Robinson, Calvin Griffin and Richard Crum, well known hatters, have gone to Yonkers, N. Y., to work in the Eagle Hat Works.

## Are Your Hands Chapped.

If so, go to any drug store and ask for a free sample of Liquid Franconia, a new preparation for chapped hands. Large bottles, 25c.

COUGHING LEADS TO CONSUMPTION.

Kemp's Balsam will stop the cough at once. Go to your druggist to-day and get a sample bottle free. Large bottles, 50 cents and \$1.00. Go at once; delays are dangerous.

## A False Diagnosis.

La Grippe is confounded by many persons with a severe attack of catarrh, which in some respects resembles the former. These individuals suffer severely with pain about the head, eyes and ears, with soreness in throat and stoppage of the nasal passages, and in fact, a complete incapacitation for work of any kind for days at a time. These are catarrhal sufferers. Ely's Cream Balm has been used with the best results in such cases. The remedy will give instant relief.

## ONE CENT A WORD

For each insertion. No advertisement taken for less than 10 cents.

J. W. WORCESTER, M. D., Late of New York City. Fine Dentistry and all branches. Expert in the use of gas and extraction. 115 Broadway, 2nd floor, New York City.

CAR Load of Horses just arrived at the farm of Isaac Mullock, at Easton, N. Y., in town of Greenville. Call and get prices before purchasing elsewhere. Easy terms. Twenty second street, New York City. 744 Broadway.

WANTED—A situation by a strictly temperate and reliable man. Money could be paid to employer if wanted. Address box 37, Middletown, N. Y.

## A BARGAIN IN REAL ESTATE.

In partition sale, house and lot No. 19 Liberty street will be sold to the highest bidder Wednesday, May 27th at 2 o'clock, at the Russell House. Lot 50 feet frontage by 135 feet deep, and has on it a two story house, seven rooms. 4242

## HELP WANTED.

By fairly competent women, each with an infant or young child, situations in the country (general housework, plain cooking, etc.) Small wages expected. Fare paid by association. Apply State Charities and Association, United Charities Building, 105 East Twenty second street, New York City. 744 Broadway.

I WANT fine samples handed your friends or neighbors. Send A. F. Wood, Perfumer, Wood Av., Detroit, Mich. 10c for 5 trial bottles Satin-Scent Perfumes; receive offer to you. 4242

## ALL AT SEA

But Finally Rescued from Danger. Result of Taking a Friend's Advice.

There are thousands of women to-day entirely at sea, so to speak, as far as their ailments are concerned.



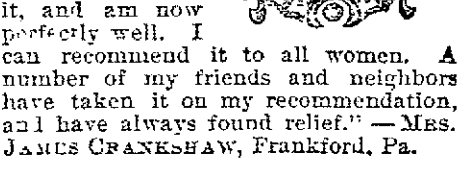
They are overtaken by some female complaint, and send for their doctor in all haste. He usually tries this and that without success; he is all at sea, and his poor patient is with him. Suddenly

a lady friend tells the sufferer to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound because it has cured her.

The following letter shows the result of that trial, and is a sample of thousands of similar cases happening daily.

"I had been very sick for a long time; doctored with many prominent physicians. They pronounced my case dyspepsia, and said there was a tendency to cancer of the womb. There was a sense of fullness and weight in stomach after meals, loss of appetite, and offensive belching of wind, dizziness, 'all gone' feeling in pit of the stomach; headache, heartburn, palpitation at times, urine high colored. A lack of interest in all things.

"The doctor's medicines gave me but little relief. I was almost in despair, when a friend advised your Compound. I took it, and am now perfectly well. I can recommend it to all women. A number of my friends and neighbors have taken it on my recommendation, and all have always found relief." Mrs. JAMES CRANESBANK, Frankford, Pa.



ONE CENT A WORD

For each insertion. No advertisement taken for less than 10 cents.

If You want oil or gasoline, drop me a postal—it will be delivered at your door at lowest cash prices. JAMES URAL City.

WANTED—An upstairs girl. 72 West Main street. 4142

FOR rent or sale—The Casino Cafe is offered for sale on easy terms, or it will be rented to the proper party. Properly conducted there is no better hotel stand in this city. 4142

J. M. CORWIN, North street and Erie Railroad, has in stock at bottom prices, Grass Seed, German Millet, White Southern Corn, Clark's Cove Fertilizer, Rosendale and Portland Cement, A. Remuette and Calmed Plaster, Lime, Sand and salt. 4014 West Main.

BOOKS and Magazines bound at reasonable rates at MCINTYRE'S, No. 32 North street.

BOARDER Wanted, gentleman preferred. Apply at this office. 2142

WANTED—On bond and mortgage, \$1,000, 544 per cent. EDWIN S. MERRILL, Attorney at Law, 16 East Main street.

YOU can help Thrall Hospital by taking your shoes repairing to Craig, the shoemaker. For four weeks he will give 25 per cent. of his turnouts to that noble institution. CRAIG, No. 22 WEST MAIN ST.

W. CLIFFORD ROGERS, interior decorating, paper hanging, Shop, corner Main and Henry streets. 2142

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